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Application No.: 09/964,657)	
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Filed:	September 28, 2001)	
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For:	TURBOCODING METHODS)	
	WITH A LARGE MINIMUM	:	
	DISTANCE, AND SYSTEMS FOR	R)	
	IMPLEMENTING THEM	:	August 26, 2005

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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

This Statement is being filed in response to the Examiner's request therefor in the Interview Summary mailed on August 9, 2005 in the above-identified application.

The Examiner's Interview Summary follows the interview between the Examiner and Applicant's undersigned attorney on June 24, 2005. During the Interview, the preamble of Claim 11 in view of 35 U.S.C. § 101 was discussed.

In view of the fact that the Examiner's Interview Summary required this paper to be submitted, Applicant considers it improper for the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to reduce the Patent Term Adjustment (517 days).

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